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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION,  
INCLUDING AMENDMENT, UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116**

Dear Sir:

The shortened statutory period for responding to the April 19, 2002 Final Office Action ends on July 19, 2002. Accordingly, this response is timely filed upon mailing with an executed certificate of mailing on or before July 19, 2002. 37 CFR § 1.8.